

# GOD ANSWERS PRAYER REQUESTS THREE WAYS...

## YES, NO, or WAIT

An important part of growing closer to God is talking with Him in prayer. On your own or as a family, write down things you are thankful for and your prayer requests. Talk with God about these things this week and watch Him work!

*"Be joyful always;  
pray continually;  
give thanks in all circumstances,  
for this is God's will for you  
in Christ Jesus.  
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18*

When you've completed this week's Family Challenge, bring this coupon back to your teacher and receive five Tracker Tickets!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's initials: \_\_\_\_\_

Bonus: After reading the daily Bible verses, check the box and receive five bonus Tracker Tickets.

# TRACKER'S TREASURES

## DIG IN & DISCOVER!

Winter 2025-26 - Lesson 3

### Hey parents!

If your kids were asked why they celebrate Christmas, what would they say? After today's lesson, our goal is that they would quickly respond by saying, "Jesus!" This Christmas, let's make sure to slow down and spend quality time as a family, reflecting on the true gift of the season: Jesus.

### Take the Family Challenge

Select one activity from below to celebrate Jesus as a family this week:

- Make a birthday cake for Jesus and celebrate His birth.
- Write a birthday letter to Jesus, in the form of a prayer, telling Him how great He is!
- Tell a friend about the true meaning of Christmas.
- Invite a friend to church during the Christmas season.
- Read the Christmas narrative from Matthew 1:18-2:12.

### Jesus is born.

Matthew 1:18 - 2:12

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**M** Matthew 1:18-19

**T** Matthew 1:20-24

**W** Matthew 2:1-6

**TH** Matthew 2:7-9

**F** Matthew 2:10-12

## YOU DID IT!



"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith- and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God-not by works, so that no one can boast" Ephesians 2:8-9

 **KNOW RIGHT**  
**Jesus is born.**

1. Who was Jesus' mother?
2. Who was Jesus' real Father?
3. Where was Jesus born?
4. Why did God send Jesus as a gift to this earth?
5. Recite Acts 16:31.
6. Have you trusted in Jesus to forgive you and take away the punishment for your sin and made Him the leader of your life?
7. How can you celebrate Jesus, the true meaning of Christmas, this season?

*Answers on back.*

 **THINK RIGHT** **Acts 16:31 (Top 12)**  
 Get creative! Act this verse out by creating motions for it.

**“Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved – you and your household.” Acts 16:31**

 **DO RIGHT**  
**I will believe God sent His Son, Jesus, to save me from my sin.**



You can know Jesus is God's Son, but believing and trusting in Jesus alone for salvation is something different!

If you have trusted in Jesus as your Savior, write about when you did that. How old were you? Where were you when you prayed? What is your favorite verse?

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If you haven't trusted in Jesus as your Savior, or if you aren't sure about it, you can talk to your classroom leaders about it. They'd love to talk with you!



**I can feel the hope of eternal life when I trust in Jesus to save me from my sin.**



What is hope? When you have trusted Jesus to save you from your sin, hope is the feeling that comes when you know you have a relationship with Jesus forever. You can know that He will always love you and be with you, during the good and bad times in life. I've got hope...what about you?


**GET ON TRACK!**

This Christmas, let's worship Jesus, our Savior. Worship means showing God His worth! You can do this through music, actions, attitude, prayer, art, and more. Draw a picture showing one way you like to worship.

**LINKING THE PAST AND THE PRESENT**

Do you know that Bethlehem is still a real city and you can actually go to the place where historians believe Jesus was actually born?



		
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**Pray for Mexico!**



**LET'S GO!**

Mexico is one of the countries we are praying for this quarter. As you color the Mexican flag, pray that many families in Mexico will go to a good church and learn about Jesus.